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FOR MANILA.

Port on FRIDAY, the 4th Inst, at 5 p.m.

FOR MANILA.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, November 2, 1881.

The Steamship

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REMEDIOS & Co.

Insurances.

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FROM LONDON, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Gordon Castle, WARING,

informed that all Goods, including Cargo

per California; from New York, -with the

exception of Opium—are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Under-

signed at Wanchai, whence delivery may

Consignees wishing to receive their Goods

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on un-

No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods

remaining after the 8th Instant will be

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND

Cargo impeding the discharge of the

g.ven before Noon, To-MORROW, 1st Nov.

presented to the Undersigned on or before

RUSSELL & Co.,

Agents.

the 10th November, or they will not be re-

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY.

FROM BATAVIA, SAMARANG, SOU.

RABAYA, MACASSAR, GORON-

TALS AND MANILA.

TIHE S.-ship William Mackinson having

signees of Cargo are hereby requested to send

in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned

for countersignature, and to take immediate

"Cargo impeding the discharge will be

once landed and stored at Consignees' risk

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

BRITISH SHIP "AGNES MUIR,

FROM HAMBURG.

in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned

for countersignature, and to take immediate

Cargo impeding the discharge of the

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Hongkong, October 31, 1881,

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

delivery of their Goods.

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Hongkong, October 31, 1881.

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arrived from the above Ports, Con-

Hongkong, October 31, 188L

---SINGAPORE.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Hongkong, November 1, 1881.

less notice to the contrary be given before

on the Wharf are at liberty to do so.

Commander, having arrived from the

Agents for the above Company a

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Reserve Fundupwardsof £ 120,000

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Hongkong, October 15, 1868.

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Hongkong, May 19, 1881.

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FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL Captain Voges, will be despatched for the above The Co.'s Steamship " Menelans,"

> the 6th November. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, October 27, 1881. The Steamship " Diamante," Captain Cullen, will be despatched for the above

Port on SATURDAY, the 5th Instant, at Capt. R. A. Donardson, will be despatched as For Freight or Passage, apply to sbove on or about the 13th Instant: RUSSELL & Co. For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, November 1, 1881.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR INGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,

BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND TRIESTE. Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL. CUTTA, JEDDAH, ODESSA, and the

MEDITERRANEAN PORTS.) The Co.'s Steamship Captain G. Marussich, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 5th Proximo, at above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby 4 p.m.

> For Freight or Passage, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, October 20, 1881.

FOR PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN; TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, VIA SINGAPORE AND JAVA. (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for ADELAIDE and all NEW.

The Steamship H. WEBBER, Commandr., will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 5th Instant, at 4 p.m., instead of as previously notified. For Freight or Passage, apply to

ZEALAND PORTS.)

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, November 2, 1881.

FOR SHANGHAL Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, NEW-CHWANG, HANKOW and Ports I HE S. S. Strathmore, Captain ROWELL, on the YANGTSZE.) having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby The Steamship requested to send in their Bills of Lading

"Glenavon," to the Undersigned for countersignature, be despatched as above and to take immediate delivery of their on or about the 5th November. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, October 31, 1881, SHANGHAI, unless notice to the contrary be FOR SWATOW, AMOY, TAMSULAND All Claims against the Steamer must be

TAIWANFOO. The Steamship

Captain Amorr, will be despatched for the above

Ports on SUNDAY, the 6th Instant, a Daylight, For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, November 1, 1881. FOR AMOY.

The Steamship " Enmeralda." Captain Tarbor, will be despatched for the above Port on SUNDAY, the 6th Inst., at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, November 2, 1881: NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship

Commandant ROLLAND, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-G. DE CHAMPEAUX, named Vessel are requested to send

Hongkong, October 31, 1881.

NOTICE.

Vessel will be landed and stored at Con-COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant GURAND, will be despatched for

YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail from Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, October 31, 1881.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS. LAND PORTS should sufficient inducements offer and taking through Garpo to NEW ZEALAND The Eastern and Aug. Co brillian Steamen Coy's Steamer Menneur

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ORGE, LIVENCETON & CO.

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Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. Captain Lapage, will be despatched on or about

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Agents

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, November 1, 1881.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through ra'es

for CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG, TIE. TSIN. HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship

Captain C. Burner, will be despatched on or about the 9th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, November 1, 1881.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 100 A 1 British
Steamship Steamship
"Devonshire,"
PURVIS, Master, will be despatched for the above Port on TUES-

DAY, the 15th Instant, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, November 2, 1881. no15

Sailing Vessels.

FOR LONDON VIA HAVRE. The 3/3 L.1.1. French Bark "Marie Alfred," J. Breggon, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, October 28, 1881. FOR CALLAO. The American Ship

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Hongkong, October 24, 1881.

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RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, October 19, 1881.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 4 1 American Ship C. H. Norris, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

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FOR LONDON. The 8/3 A. 1.1. German Ship will load here for the above
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R. Robinson

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Hongkong, October 12, 1881. FOR NEW YORK

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Stonewall Jackson."

J. Swain, Master, will load
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RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 27, 1881.

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RUSSELL & Co.

China, September 22, 1881. NOTICE.

HAVE This Day ESTABLISHED myself as MERCHANT and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT, under the Style of HERBERT DENT & Co. HERBERT F. DENT.

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THE Undersigned have been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the Sale of their GOODS by Messrs KYNOCH & Co., of WITTON, HOST BIRMINGHAM.

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N Extraordinary General MERTING A of the MEMBERS of the Honorong CLUB is hereby convened to take place at the CLUB House on TUESDAY, the 8th Instant, at 4 o'Clock p.m., for the purpose of Confirming the Resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 25th ultimo.

By Order of the General Committee, EDWARD BEART, Hongkong, November 1, 1881.

PHOTOGRAPHY. DARON STILLFRIED, Photographer to the Austrian Court, will REMAIN HERE for Six Werks or Two Monras. He has now OPENED his STUDIO, next Door to the new Chartered Bank Building and invites an Inspection of his Collection of PROTOGRAPHS, PROTO-CRATONS, and WATER COLOURS. Hours from 10 to 1, and from 2 to 4.

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Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accopted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon of 6th November.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 o.m., Specie and Parels until 3 p.m. on the 6th November, 188). (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office. Contents and value of Packages are re-

Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, October 25, 1881.

For further particulars, apply at the



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STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE Without AND INLAND SEA.

THE S. S. SUMIDA MARU. Capt. HUBENET, due here on or about the 7th Instant, will be desputched as above on FRIDAY, the 11th November, at 4 p.m. Cargo received on board and Parcels at the Office up to 1 p.m. of day of sailing. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2

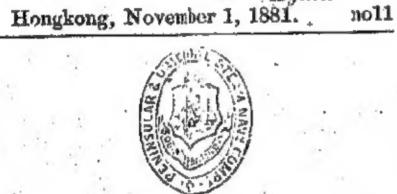
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THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship KASHGAR, Captain R. G. MUHRAY, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, on MONDAY the 14th Instant, at 4 p.m.

Cargo will be received on board until 10 a.m. on the day of departure. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 10 a.m. on the day of departure: Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Point de Galle; but Tea and General Cargo at Bombay, arriving one week later than by the direct route vid

further Particulars, regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINSULAR & CHENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are

required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. Passengers to England are now Booked to London, instead of Southampton.

A. MolVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, November 1, 1881. no14

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Doors open at 8.30, to commence at 9 By kind nermission of Col., GEDDES, the

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General Manager. Hongkong, October 29, 1881.

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Not Responsible for Debts. Verther the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for America, 300 pkgs. Tea. any Debt contracted by the Officers or

Crew of the following Vasels, during their stay in Honghong Harbour :-B. H. STEENEEN, German brig, Captain C. Meyer.-Te On & Co. EDMUND PHINNEY, Amer barque, Capt.

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To-day's Advertisements. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steamship

Capt. Wiston, will be Ports TO-MORROW, the 4th Inst., at 10 a.m., instead of at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, November 3, 1881. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship

Captain 0. Jackson, will be despatched on or about the 19th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, November 3, 1881.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned will BELL by PUBLIC Auction (if not previously disposed of by Private Contract), on Board the

STRAMER, as she now les in Hongkong Harbour, At NOON. On SATURDAY. THE 12TH NOVEMBER, 1881,-

THE PADDLE-WHEEL RIVER STRAWER SIR JAMSETJEE JEEJEEBHOY. Intending Purchasers are informed that the Steamer will be SOLD in ONE LOT. Including the HULL, ENGINE, BOILER,

TERMS.—Cash on the fall of the hammer. The Steamer to be at Purchaser's risk of the fall of the hammer. A STEAM-LAUNCH will convey intending Purchasers on board the Steamer, starting from the Wharf opposite the P. & O. S. Co.'s Office at 11.45 a.m. For further Particulars, apply to

H. N. MODI, Auctioneer. Hongkong, November 1, 1881. TO BE LET of SOLD.

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CLEARED.

Esperance, for Iloilo. Prinz Heinrich, for Bangkok. Clara, for Antigua. Namoa, for Coast Ports. Yottung, for Swatow.

> PASSENGERS. DEPARTED.

Per Lide, for Saigon, 180 Chinese. Per Gordon Castle, for Shanghai, Miss Alo and female servant, Per Wm. Mackinnon, fer Amoy, 54 Chi-Per Amoy, for Shanghai, 29 Chinese.

To DEPART. Per Prinz Heinrich, for Bangkok, 8 Chi-Per Clara, for Antigua, 1 European, and

peans, and 200 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS.

Per Namoa, for Coast Ports, 2 Euro

322 Chinese.

CARGOES. Per S. S. Patroclus, to London, sailed 28th October :-- 55,301 lbs. Congou, 99,009 ibs. Scented Caper, and 20,748 ibs. Scented cases Silk Piece Goods, 105 bales Waste at 8.10 p.m. Silk, and 169 pkgs. Sundries. For Continent, 2 pkgs. Canes, and 205 rolls Matting. From Amoy to London, 102 half-

Per S. S. Gaelic, sailed October 29th ;-For Yokohama, 5,690 bags Sugar, and 56 pkgs. Merchandise; for San Francisco, 22,450 bags Rice, 468 bags Sugar, 294 bags Beans, 232 bags Coffee, 100 bags Tapioca, 100 bales Cinnamon, 180 boxes Oil, 65 boxes Prepared Opium, 48 boxes Nutmegs, 6 boxes Silks, 2 boxes Crude Opium, 370 Empty Flanks, 602 pkgs. Tea, and 5,076 okgs. Merchandise; for Acajutla, 4 cases Silks : for St. Joze de Gustemala, 25 bales Cinnamon, and 3 cases Silks; for Boston, 3 cases Chinaware; for Chicago, 1,549 pkgs. Tea; for New York, 157 bales and 12 cases Raw Silk. 3 cases Silks, 7 pkgs. Tea, and

19 pkgs. Merchandise. Per S. S. Glenorchy, from Canton Water o London, sailed 31st October :- 136,676 ibs. Congou, 281,106 ibs. Scented Caper and 19.055 the Scented Orange Pekoetotal 436,837 fbs. Tes: 100 bales Waste Silk, and 43 pkgs. Sundries. For South

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close: For SWATOW .-Per Yottung, at 7.30 a.m. To-morrow the 4th inst. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW .-

Per Namoa, at 9.30 a.m. To-morrow, the 4th inst, instead of as previously notified. FOT BANGKOK .-Per Prinz Heinrich, at 10.30 a.m. To morrow, the 4th inst., instead of as

previously notified. For CHINKIANG .-Per Nelson, at 3.30 p.m. To-morrow, the 4th inst.

For MANILA,-Per Brutus, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, th 4th inst. Per Diamante, at 11.30 a.m.; on Satur day, the 5th inst.

For SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN, TOWNS VILLE BRISBANE, SYDNEY MELBOURNE, &c.-Per Ocean, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday,

the 5th inst., instead of as pro viously notified. For STRAITS, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, AND TRIESTE .-Per Vorwarts, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday,

For SWATOW, AMOY, TAMSUI, AND TAIWANFOO. Per Fokien, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the For AMOY .-

the 5th inst.

Per Esmeralda, at 9 a.m., on Sunday the 6th inst. For HAIPHONG .-Per Pernambuco, at 4.30 p.m., on Monday, the 7th inst.

For SAIGON .-Por Penedo, at 4.30 p.m., on Monday the 7th inst. For BANGKOK .-

7th inst. For KOBE AND YOKOHAMA .-Per Sumida Maru, at 3.30 p.m., on Fr day, the 11th inst

Per Decembire, at 2.30 p.m., on Tues-

For SAN FRANCISCO .-

day, the 15th inst.

Per Danube, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .-The French Contract Packet Sind will be despatched on MONDAY the 7th November, with Mails to and struments for the Observatory at Manila. through the United Kingdom and Europe, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavis, Burmah, Ceylon, Tux steamer Fohkien, Captain Abbott, seems

and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closit the Mails, do. BOURS OF CLOSING

THE FRENCH MAIL

The following hours are observed in closing

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Mails, &c., by the French Contra Day before departure (or Saturday if the porture be on Monday (Frier Office closes and to real to real to the property of the Post Office closes second the Post Office Post Office clokes, except the Night Box, which is slvays

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Shipping.

10 s.m. - Namoa leaves for Coast Ports

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Hongkong, June 1, 1876. PASSENGERS arriving in Hongkong, or any other persons who may desire to consult the files of local. China. American, English, Indian or Austra lian newspapers, are invited to call at the "CHINA MAIL" Office, where over sixty newspapers, dailies and weeklies, from these countries, are now filed for

Orange Pekoe-total 175,148 lbs. Tea; 4 25 The publication of this issue commenced

reference.

The Chun Atlail.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1881

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE "CHINA MAIL."] Per E. E. A. & C. Telegraph Co.'s Line.

FURTHER ARRESTS IN IRELAND. LONDON, Nov. 2. Further arrests have been made in

GAMBETTA'S ELECTION AS PRESIDENT. LONDON, Nov. 2. Gambetta has been elected President of the Chamber of Deputies provisionally b a very large majority.

THE next AMERICAN MAIL may be expected to arrive here on or about the 6th instant, by the O. & O. S. S. Company's steamer Oceanic, which brings San Francisco dates up to the 8th ult. The next FRENCH MAIL may be expected to arrive here on or about the 6th instant, by the M. M. Company's steamer Saghalien, which brings on London dates up to the 30th Sept.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Pernambuco takes their place. WE are informed by the Agent of the M.A Co., that the S.S. Saghalien, left Saigon for this port yesterday, (Wednesday) at 10 p.m. We also learn, from the E. E. & C. Tele-

graph Co.'s Supt., that she passed Cape St.

THE Activ and the Nelson come out o

James at 2 a.m. to-day. THERE can be no question that the timely warnings of bad weather given by the Director of the Observatory at Manila have saved many vessels trading on the China Coast, and probably also a large number of lives, during the stormy season just closed. The telegrams which arrived here were promptly published by the Government school, and has a wide and extensive view and their warning notes have passed along over the city and harbour of Victoria. The the wires from one port to another, so that | building will consist of a substantial struct the necessary precautions have been taken ture of three storeys, the lower or basement by vessels ready for departure at the various of granite and the two upper floors of brick; Coast Ports. Unfortunately the only severe plastered and coloured, and finished with storm that visited this harbour was stone dressings, with the frontage to the permitted to do more damage than it north. The basement will contain an class need have done owing to the warning rooms for Chinese, a dining hall, latrines, from Manile, backed by that of the bath-rooms, lavatories, store-rooms, and local authorities here, having been dis other conveniences. The main entrance to the regarded by the native junk-owners and building will be on the first-floor level, and boatmen. Too much, however, cannot be will be reached by a double flight of grantte said by way of thankfulness—especially on steps. The extreme length of the building the part of seafaring men-for the happy is to be 152 feet, breadth 26 feet, with two idea suggested and carefully carried out by verandahs on the front and back, each 6 the Rev. Director of the Observatory re- feet wide. On the first floor, in addition ferred to; and there was much practical to an entrance-ball and staircase, there will sense, we think, as well as public spirit, in while the second floor will contain

reached that port that a typhoon had been offices and quarters for the necessary signalled from Manila; and had the in- tached to the institution: telligence arrived a little earlier, the Folkien

panies here in subscribing towards the in-

all concerned will is gain that a gener forder was issued for all hands to take t the rigging : but this need not be definitels sworm to : it was, however, soon discover that the furious pig had been wather over board, and had thus come to an untimely and From the accounts we have heard of thes wild-boars of Formosa, of their clever the ture by the natives in pits, and of the way the Chinese have of placing them under the influence of opium when they handle them, we should famoy that the full grown ph would be an interesting customer to ince with in a lonely country. The young specimen now lost to science was, we believe, intended for Calcutta.

THE funeral of one of the wives of Messes

Turner & Co.'s Compradore took place

this afternoon about one o'clock, and was

conducted with all the pomp, and gorgeous

display at the command of a Chinese occur pying a well-to-do position. The deceased was the second of four wives, but had been promoted to the position of first wife out the death of the senior some years ago. She was 45 years of age, and leaves, we are informed, two grown up sons. The death occurred about four weeks ago, in the fimily house in Shelley Street, where constant mourning ceremonials by a large household retinue, as well as by numerous friends of the deceased, have been carried on ever since in the true orthodox fashion peculiar to the Chinese. The husband of the deceased purchased the rank of a mandarin some years ago, and the display to-day was conducted with all the dignity befitting the rank of one hoding that position. The procession was a long one, consisting of the usual varied collection of coolies and boys dressed up in the most gorgeously-coloured and fantastically arranged robes, some carrying banners inscribed with legends detalling the virtues of the deceased, others carrying chairs and trays laden with the carcases of sheep, goats, deer and fowls, together with a large collection of fruits; flowers and cakes. Some seven or eight Chinese bands occupied positions in the cortege, discoursing music of the most discordant description, but suitable we presume to the occasion. Two bodies of Chinese priests and a party of Chinese nuns also appeared in the throng; and the whole was brought up by the body, placed in a large bier profusely decorated with flowers, carried by sixteen bearers, and surrounded by a large gathering of mourners. the more immediate friends and relatives of the family. The procession took its wdy from Shelley Street by Hollywood Road. Wellington and D'Aguilar Streets, and the Praya to the H. C. and Macao Steamboat Company's Wharf, where the body was placed on board the steamer White Cloud for conveyance to Macao, en route to the native place of deceased where interment will take place. A large matched was erected in the morning at the junction of Wing Lok Street with Bonham Strand, where Cosmonolitan Dock to-morrow, and the many friends and relatives assembled from time to time during the forencon to pay their tribute of respect to the memory and

LAYING THE FOUNDATION STONE OF ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE. An interesting event in the history of education in this Colony took place this afternoon in the laying of the foundation stone of a new scholastic building-St Joseph's College, conducted by the Chris-

Pope Hennessy.

The site selected lies to the northward of the Robinson Road, immediately above the the action of the Marine Insurance Com- nine bedrooms and a couple of wardrobes for the use of the Brothers, a Chapel Vestry and Community Room, and Chaples and Recreation Rooms. The walls will be sufficiently substantial to carry a third storey should it ever at any time be considered necessary to so increase the apthe Australasian Colonies, Condichery, to have had a rough time of it on her trip commodation, and two projecting wings from Formous about a week ago. It aptains be thrown back from either end, so that ample provision has been made for a pears that very shortly after her departure considerable enlargement of the establishfrom Tamsui on the 25th October the news ment At some distance in rear of the

> About four o clock the children, to the would have been saved a heavy new Christian Erothers were formed up on each Captain Abbots was very engineeous of the same of the sathway leading to the site from the papearance of the weather; but us his the life Robenton East, and the same of the papearance of the weather; but us his life Robenton accompanies or lady Hope

good qualities of the departed. tion Brothers by His Excallency Sir John

hans of the Bishop, They were about to erect a nice building, the plans of which ad been made by their worthy architect, My Danby on the platform on which they stood. They all knew the object of this institution, and the purpose for which it he knew, was a great task, but the presence de many persons was a great comfort to him, because it induced him to feel he had no cause to fear that people might say they had commenced a work which they could not finish. This was the third Roman better show, the telegraph, when time was Ostholic bullding of the kind in Hongkong. increasing, and the number of boys was also increasing every day, so they obtained mother house, which, not having been built for the purpose, was also too This college was constructed large small. This college was constructed large enough to hold all their boys, and even more if they wished to come, so he hoped the college would prosper, and he thought the laying of the foundation stone by his Excellency was a pledge of the success of

the institution. He then asked his Excellency to lay the stone.
The Governor said,—Ladies and gentlemen, the especial interest which the Government has in the proceedings of to-day consists in the fact that this is what is called a Grant-in-aid School-that is, it is a school towards the support of which the gives a grant. Now, when I came into the Colony in 1877, there were in this Colony a certain number of Grantin aid schools. Last year the number of such schools was double what it was in 1877. and the number of pupils had also doubled, How is that to be accounted for ! It is really due to the fact that Her Majesty's Government, since the year 1877, altered the principles under which the Grantinaid schools in this Colony were supported ... When I arrived here, I found the school to which the Reverend Father Burghignoli referred—the predecessor of this school-but though that school had at that time about 200 boys in attendance, the sons of European residents in this Colony, the sons of ratepayers of the colony, nevertheless, that school was receiving no grant-in-aid. I also found that schools of other denominations were similarly situated. It was repreisnited to me by Pastor Klitzke, and Father Louis, that their schoools were receiving no Government aid, and the late Colonial Chaplain, Mr Kidd, represented that he could not conscientiously receive Government Grant-in-aid, and the same reason which influenced these gentlemen in refusing that grant, also, also influenced other gentlemen, and the consequence was that out of all the grant in sid schools in this colony, there were but 80 pupils of the foreign residents in Hongkong who were assisted by Government aid. Well-in this school alone now, we have over 200 pupils. and the change has been effected by Sir Michael Hicks Beach, the Colonial Secretary of State, by atriking out of the grantin-aid scheme the word "secular," and the word "elementary." In 1877, it was a rule that no school could get a Government grant in which the school books were not secular, and in which a considerable portion of the time of intruction was not devoted to secular teaching only. Well, Sir Michael Hicks Beach considered carefully the representations of Bishop Raimondi, of The reverend clergy, and also the colonial chaplain of the Church of England, and he resolved to strike out the word "secular from the grant-in-aid scheme. That decision of Her Majesty's Government was not

given hastily, or without considering the question. At the time when I forwarded the papers for the consideration of the Government, I was able to inform the Colonial Secretary of State, that Dr Stewart, who had been an able and zealous advocate of the secular system, would proceed to London: and would explain to those who wished to ask him as to the secular system of grant-in-aid, his views. Those views were carefully considered. Dr Stewart, in a long letter of his, addressed to the Colonia Secretary, pointed out that in his opinion if the word "secular" were struck out of the grant n-aid scheme, it would be the abandonment of the whole principle of education which was then in vogue in Honggong. Nevertheless, having considered the question carefully, Her Majesty's Government resolved to strike out the word secular." and to-day I am about to lay the stone of a school receiving Government aid now to the amount of \$1,400, and in a school which did not receive a single farthing of Government aid when I arrived in the Colony, and that school will receive had no doubt he had only to explain in further assistance from the Colonial Secretary of State to help in the building of the school. (Applause.) Well, I must say gentlemen. I think the decision of Her Majesty's Government was in every sense wise decision i it was strongly in favour of freedom of religon, because thus we allow, in every school in the colony, the teachers to bring up the boys as they think fit to teach in connection with every subject. The examination is conducted by independent examiners under Government control in subjects selected by Government, and on the result of that test examination the award of the grant depends. I have much satisfaction in informing you all that the important change made by Sir Michael Hicks Beach has worked admirably. There is not now in this colony a single denomination, or any body of men who have a complaint to urge against the Government with respect to our public education. I agree with Father Burghignoli that the credit of what we are doing here to-day is really due to Bishop Raimondi, who has laboured so many years to bring about the result which we now see viz the Government assistance

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to the children of the foreign residents in

this colony who are receiving a first class edu-

cation, receiving it from a body of men, the

Christian Brothers, who are specially trained

as educationists and knownall over the globe.

and I may say in Englanditself. (Applause.)

Frankalens Birne land by

CRICKET MATCH A match between the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers and the Remainder of the Garrison was played this afternoon, when the Garrison, with one man short, had decidedly the best of it, making a score in one innings of 124 while the Fusiliers in their first a four, 10 threes, 4 pairs and singles. The following is the score :-

ROYAL INNISTRIATE PUBLISHERS. First Innings. Lieut Charley, b Cockerell..... Lieut, Mayno, b Cockerell,.... Corpl. Hutchinson, c Cunningham, b Lieut. Lawford, e Fillingham, b Wilson, Lieut, Bennett, b Wilson, Major Taylor, o Wilson, b Wilson, Lieut, Young, e Sadler, b Cockeroll, Lieut, Radchiffe, hit wicket..... Lieut Davidson, e Wilson, b Cockerell,

Lieut, Armitage, run out...... A. A. Graves, not out. Second Innings. Lieut, Charley, not out...... Lieut. Mayne, c Lane, b Wilson,...... Lieut, Lawford, b Wilson,..... Lieut Young, b Wilson..... Lieut Davidson, b Wilson,.... Extras, GARRISON. First Innings. Wolseley, A.M.D., C Bennett, b D. A. C. G. Sadler, c.s. D., c Armitage, b Charley.

Lieut. Newington, R.M., c Young, b Gunr. Oockerell, B.A., c Bennett, b Rad-Mr Wilson, R.N., c Armitage, b Hutchinson, 14 Lieut. Lane, B.A., not out Gunr. Dunning, R.A., b Bennett,.... Sergt, Fillingham, R.A., c Armitage, b

Gunr. Ferguson, R.A., b Bennett, Rev. W. Booth, did not bat Gunr. Cunningham, R.A., c Armitage, b Bennett,

SHANGHAI RACES. SECOND DAY. By the following returns it will be seen that the owner of the three Griffins Rose,

Shamrock, and Thistle (Mr Kelly) has again

carried off two prizes :--...Shamrock. Northern Cup. First Cornet St. Leger, Black Satin. Autumn Cup, ... Merry Monk Shanghai Stakes, Red Hart. Llama Miau Stakes, ...Shamrock. Mongol Cup, Jolly Friar. Welter Cup. ... Wild Soud. Hack Stakes,

SUPREME COURT. IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. (Before the Full Court.) Thursday, Nov. 3.

HABEAS CORPUS. The case of the thirteen prisoners who have been incarcerated in Victoria Gaul since November last came on again to-day. The Attorney General (Hon. E. L. o'Malley), instructed by the Crown Solicitor (Mr E. Sharp), appeared for the Crown: and Mr Francis, instructed by Messra Brereton and Wotton, for the ap-

The Attorney General said he appeared to move that a writ of habeas comus issued on the lat inst, should be quashed. There was a slight preliminary difficulty in the way of his making the application which he order to have it removed. believed, for he was unfortunately unable to say otherwise than by belief,—required the vaoler to make a return, and appear with the prisoners in Judge's Chambers to-day; and the learned gentleman understood that, in supposed obedience to the command of that writ, the gaoler had parted with the writ and had been unable to obtain possession of it again. Mr Francis said the writ had been returned, and no notice to quant the writ

having been given, it was too late to make this application. The Attorney General said notice of the the goler, acting he knew not under whose Parliament were satisfied. The writ had advice handed it to the Registrar. That been verified by the signature of the judge is not a return of the the writ, as it com- who awarded it, and if their Lordships

be returned into Chambers. It was a were not compulsory. What rule o technicality, and it might be amended. could not be amended. The wit had been should have endorsement was one thing, tampered with in a manner he had never heard of a writ being tampered with, for making the return had not come.

and with the 13 prisoners.

I remember a Parliamentary report in the first opportunity to get the writ set place where it was returnable he would coeded he found the three defendants were fun as he increased his pace and appeals quiry into the artificial drying method which Parliament was informed by compe- aside on the ground that it was pregular, submit to their Lordships that under the tent authorities that the best set of teachers | Mr Francis said if the warder returned Supreme Court re-constitution Ordinance, less soise but without avail, and he was connected with any scheme of education in the writ five minutes before it was filed, it 12 of 1873, and by Section 2 of that Ordithe United Kingdom were the Christian was a perfectly good writ. He objected to name, that the word Court should meen Su- whistle, when a European and an Indian Brothers (Loud applause.) They devote the writ being quashed. He did not preme Court, and should include the Chief constable came to his help. The first de-Mair lives to this object, and we find the know whom the Attorney General re Justice or Puisne Judge sitting together fendant assaulted the constable and result is that the annual examination of presented, and he ventured to suggest or separately in Court or in Chambers, his cost, He was very violent on his way

to pring before any Honography Francis formation of the Surface Court of Honography Francis becomes the Character of the Surface Court of Honography with the cause of the Surface Court of Honography with the cause of the Character principles, or court of the cause of the Character principles, or court of the cause o

out and Nov. substituted. He submitted in the building. that as a writ issued under the provisions or The Acting Chief Justice said they knew protection of the provisions of 31 of Charles nothing about that. The writ had not been there was no right by which a judge in properly returned. their second, endeavour they made a much chambers could issue a writ of habeas corpus | Mr Francis said their Lordships could of which the roturn had to be made before not ignore the fact that the writ was proup, showing 50 for four wickets. The him in Chambers in term time. One question perly signed by the Registraf. In regard The first predecessor of this college lasted highest score on the side of the regiment was was, Was this a proper writ and granted to the point as to the affidavit being insuffiabout 10 years, and it was given up because made by Lieut. Young who put together 17 in proper form? Leaving the substance of cient, he held that no affidavit was neceswas too small, there being only two in the first innings and 22 in the second; the writ apart he submitted that the writ sary. The only ground which his Lordwhile for the Garrison, Lieut. Newington must be endorsed, and it ought to be ship had for the issue of a writ was made the capital total of 50, made up of endorsed, with the endorsement "by rule lilegal detention, for nothing which apof Court." Then there was a provision peared on the face of the warrant, - (which is not at all the case), why one house which required that the Judge issuing the and that illegal detention appeared writ should sign it. It did appear to may on the face of the warrants which were be- of employing coolies to carry the water one who might only take a casual view of fore his Lordship and verified. There the issues that the point of signature could was nothing else about which to make an only apply where the Judge acted alone, affidavit. Therefore, he submitted, it was but that provision had been interpreted a matter of indifference whether there was as applying equally in the case of a writ an affidavit of the prisoners or anything o far as the learned gentleman could gather on any want of jurisdiction of the Court. In had a drop of water in return. from the text-books; to obtain an affidavit conclusion, he would simply say that if the from the prisoners on whose behalf the writ Attorney General thought proper to ask for was sued out; or on behalf of those who their Lordships' decision, he (Mr Francis) 82 acted on behalf of the prisoners. The was quite prepared to move for a fresh writ. doctrine that one judge sitting in Chambers was for all purposes under the Imperial 13 Ordinances and statutes and with reference The Attorney General, in replying, said 10 to common law provision, -was equal to the that with regard to the return in chambers o full Court, could not be upheld. The re- there could be no question. If the Cham-22 turn must be made to the Court. It was bers and Court were the same, a London o probable that the haste and precipitancy gaoler might produce prisoners at West-5 with which it was prepared might account | minister Hall instead of chambers in Serfor the mistake. The next objection he geants' Inn. The writ had not been properly

anything like it.

Hayward came to return it. 3 he did not understand-it got into the pos-15 session of the Registrar.

Total,...... 124 3rd of Nov. and signed by the Registrar.

had not yet been returned. the person on whom the writ had been served had waived all irregularity in it. The Attorney General said the date at the head of the document had been the let of Sept. This had been crassed out, and it show that Yeong Akan, was alies Atang Achoi, All this was signed by C. F. A. S. What answer could a gapler give to a wr. like that ? He might bring himself into very great peril if he brought these persons whom he did not have. But he was commanded to do this by C. F. A. S. These were the objections he had to submit to the writ. There had been gross tampering. If this sort of thing were to be admitted into the practices of the Courts, it would lead to endless trouble—if after it had been sealed, signed and delivered to the parties

Mr Francis said the objections to the writ were twofold, first whether the writ was bad on the face of it or whether it had been issued on unsufficient grounds secondly, that the writ was bad the face of it. that the writwas on the face of it irregular, but the irregularity was not sufficient justify their Lordships in setting it a side. The writ had been endoned and filed the Court, and he submitted that all irregularities had been waived absolutely by the return having been made. To take up the objections seriatim. In the first place it was stated that the writ was not signed. but he saw on looking at the face of it his

it were to be supplemented and tinkered.

Lordship's signature. The Acting Chief Justice :- By rule absolute of Court. Mr Francis said that the insertion of the motion to quash the writ had been given words "rule of Court," in a matter of form yesterday, or early this morning. He was not compulsory. He submitted that understood that within the last few minutes the substantial requirements of the Act of manded him to be here with the return, would look at the 3rd section of 31 Charles II. Habeas Corpus Act, they would at The Acting Chief Justice said it had to once see that the requirements of the section practice may have aprung up in England in The Attorney General submitted that it reference to these matters that the aignature but the requirement of the statute was that it should be signed by the Judge who The Acting-Chief Justice said the time awarded the writ. The statute did not re-The Attorney General said he was taking anything also should be added. As to the on going to the place whence the noise prothis school shows that the Christian Bro that the Attorney General should state for This ordinance it was to be assumed to the station, but the others came of their there in Hongkong have earned the same for whom he appeared.

The Acting Chief Justice asked if it with a full knowledge of all the different part defendant and 25, in default seven of the world. (Renewed applause).

The Acting Chief Justice asked if it with a full knowledge of all the different part defendant and 25, in default seven offices the Court law to purform, and be had days imprisonment with hard labour; the The Governor then intimated to Mr whom the Attorner General represented, no doubt that it was on overeight to other were discharged. Mr Francis thought it was very important, have inserted the words that the writ Ir Danby O.E., the architect, in a few If the Attorney General appeared for the should be made returnable before his Lord-Securities words, presented the Governor gaoler by whom the writ was returned he ship in Chambers. His Lordship sitting in with a handsome silver trowel and silver and his client were at cross purposes. If Chambers was just, as much the Court as shounted about mallet with which His he was appearing for the Chinese process; that attaing there now, So far as the being found in a house in Wing Hing Street Brasiland at once proceeded with the tors in the case it was a bad state names and the body of the writ were con- on the 2nd instant, for a supposed unlawful section on the specific of and it he appeared for the forms is was corned, in was a perfectly good one. All the purpose.

to his Lordship in his chambers. He sub- his Lordship at the time he was granting mitted that on the face of it the writ was this writ that the mmes contained in the regular. The writ purported to be dated letter of request and those in the warrant the 1st of Nov. A writ which might have of committal were different. The person been very suitable in September became named in the writ, who was the only person altogether improper in November; and he who could make objection, had actually saw that the word Sept. had been acratched. filed his raturn, and with the prisoners was

issued by the Court. The second object else, because there was nothing of the kind tion he would venture to suggest was necessary. The fact was visible on the face that it was not issued upon sufficient of the warrants of committal that the men material. There were proceedings for the had been detained in prison since the 27th issue of write of habeas corpus under which of November last. His motion was based on will take it up in aid of a householder, who it was not necessary, or apparently so, as the fact of the unreasonable detention, not The affidavit of the prisoners had now been

Total, 50 had was as to the appearance, and some filed, although by some accident it got respect ought be shown to the form as well into the hands of the Registrar and had as the substance of such a document. Here been marked filed, that did not establish was one which apparently on the face of it | that any return had been made. If it were had been very materially altered, and that so, he apprehended there was some way of in several very important particulars since getting out of the difficulty. There was another matter about the endorse-The Registrar of Court then read an ment. His friend quite misunderstood affidavit by George Hayward. The first the nature of the objection. He (the Ataffidavit served to him by Mr Wotton had torney General) endeavoured to show that the Hon. James C. Angell, before he been given back by him at Mr Wotton's the practice had been that the order should left China, had succeeded in obtaining the request, and the affidavit was afterwards be endorsed by "rule of Court." This permission of the Government to lay an re-served to him by Mr Wotton personally. | was no more flourish, but was something | American cable between this country and The Attorney General said he never heard that disclosed that the writ had been issued the United States. We are afraid that this in proper form. A most audacious propo- statement is premature. The Chinese Go-The Acting Chief Justice asked how Mr sition had been put to their Lordships with vernment is said to have already bound itreference to the Court and the Judge. The self to an existing corporation, which, by The Attorney General said Mr Hayward interpretation clause of the Ordinance virtue of terms that perhaps may sound betcame here to Court at the command of merely said that wherever the word Court | ter than they really are, is anticipating the this writ with the 13 prisoners and the writ appeared in the Ordinance the word Judge enjoyment of a monopoly of such enterprises along with him. In some way or other-how | might be substituted. It was not meant to | for an indefinite period. The free use of be supposed that every function that could be foreign line by all the principal Viceroys and Mr Francis said the writ was filed on the by the Judge in Chambers. This would sight a generous proposal; but whether it alter the whole character of the Court and would entail any very practical inconveni-The Attorney General said it could not its machinery. Their Lordships were told ence or less upon the parties who made it, have been filed properly at all events, as it they could disregard all these provisions, is certainly open to question. It would not and that the marginal notes could be re- be lost sight of that in much that the Chi-

> made up their minds as to the case. The probably does not cover all the stipulations writ must be set aside on the grounds which were then imposed on China. was really 1st of _____. After it had been stated by the Attorney General, and which A meeting of the North-China Branch of served some one had put in the month of seemed to him very cogent ones. He the Royal Asiatic Society was held yester-November. This in itself was enough to thought that perhaps each one of them tee evening (28th) under the presidency of make the writ void. He had now to deal would have been quite sufficient to set it Mr. G. J. Morrison. The attendance. with the most important point. In the aside. With regard to the writ not being though poor, was rather better thant usual. body of the writ the names of the prisoners | endorsed, it was absolutely necessary to the papers to be read promising to be of a who are to be brought before the Court observe these forms. They could not look interesting nature. In both cases, however, were given. These had not corresponded on these writs; how they came into Court they were perhaps better adapted for peruwith the names of the warrant of commit- his Lordship did not know. With regard sal than for being orally delivered. Pere ment, and the answer the gaoler would to the alterations and the putting the Dechevrens essay on the Climate of Shanghave returned to this would have been that names in the margin, His Lordship said it hat was enriched with several valuable tahe never had the prisoners so described. was a most improper thing, and he was bles, which could scarcely be read aloud; So what appeared to have been done was astonished that Mr Wotton should have while Mr. Giles's paper on Chinese Figures that the names of the prisoners were put induced Mr Hayward to give up the writ; of Speech was less popularly written than in in the margin, and there was nothing to and the peculiarity of it was that his learned | the generality of his contributions to our counsel referred to it as matter of which the Court should take notice. He would | cd however a very able production as far as

discharge the writ upon all the grounds. The Acting Puisne Judge quite concurred | ject to an almost scientific analysis, and enwith what the Chief Justice hadsaid. That | riched his treatment of it with many appowrit of the Court, should be altered and site illustrations. A short discussion folamended, after having been signed by the lowed, in which Rev. Mr Muirhead, Messas. Registrar, and then be put forward by Mr Kingsmill, Slevogt and Balfour took part, Francis, was something extraordinary. The and the proceedings terminated in the usual only ground for the writ was their detention for eleven months. "This information | The disbandment of troops still goes on if brought before the Judge might have in Sheng-king. Ch'i Yuan, the Manchu been sufficient to enable the Judge to give | General at Feng-t'ien, reports to the Emhabeas corpus. Whatever alians the men peror having dismissed the last garrison of had been known by, if the gaoler was able supernumeraries, who had been stationed to identify them, it was clearly his duty to at Hei-lung Kiang, consisting of five hunbring them into Court. This writ appa. | dred infantry and one hundred horse, rently had been prepared so as to bring appears to be the custom occassionally to them before the Judge in Chambers. It pay these men their wages in salt; and ar was clearly all wrong from beginning to excellent thing it is for the Government as end. However the matter could be easily talt is worth a very creat deal more here in cleared by Mr Francis taking fresh steps. mid-China than at Shan-hai-Kuan. The The writ must be discharged.

habeas corpus; which was granted, return. able on Saturday. IN PROBATE JURISDICTION. (Before the Hon, Francis Snowden, Acting Chief Justice.)

In the goods of Kong Fuk U. deceased, -Mr Mossop applied on behalf of Sow Achow, the widow, for Letters, of Administration; which were granted.

November 3.

Police Intelligence. (Before Frederick Stewart, Esq.) Thursday, Nov. 3.

ASSAUTHING A DONSTABLE. Ho Asze, a carpenter, and two other me were charged with creating a disturbance at midnight last night, and also with assault-

Atsai, it appeared that he heard a great the plunder; and being destrous of restor- fortunately not dangerous." Jan Boda quire that the words "rule of Court" or noise in Lyndhurst Terrace last night, and ing it to the owner, followed the woman, The coffee drying system of Mr. Van

BOUND IN A ROUSE POR A SUPPOSED UNIA WITH PURPOSE Chun Avan, a tenman, was charged with

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CORRESPONDENCE.

OUR WATER SUPPLY. To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL."

Sin. I was very gind to ree, in your

November 3rd.

leading article of last evening, some attention at last given to the crying injustice under which, in company with others, I suffer, of not being able to get any water. That with an inadequate water supply the quantity distributed to each individual house should be regulated, I can fully understand, but on what principle of anything called justice one tax-payer should given as much water as he wants to use of waste and another none. I cannot see. holder should have the trouble and expens thence to his house, while another has i laid on, is equally a mystery to me, especi ally as both must have water somehow, and the annovance given to the other is therefore gratuitous and senseless. think our Authorities have properly considered this matter or they could not act in the way they do : and I hope at the next has paid taxes for twenty years and never

OUID PRO QUO.

FOOCHOW. (Herald.)

The British Ship Leander made a fine run down from Shanghai; she completed taking in her Shanghai Cargo late on Thursday last, the 20th instant, and left the following morning: on Saturday she was clear of the Saddles and on Monday afternoon was at anchor at Pazoda Anchorage and entered at the Consulate here. This was good work, accomplished of course only

SHANGHAL. (N. C. Daily News.) It has been reported to us from Peking discharged by the Court could be discharged high officers of the Empire seems at first Mr. Francis said his contention was that garded as a memorandum to the gaoler. His nese do at present they may be guided by friend had not touched upon the omission secret pressure from outside of which very little is known. The published text of the The Acting Chief Justice said they had Treaty recently concluded at St. Petersburg

knowledge of Chinese Literature. It provit went, the writer having reduced his submanner about eleven o'clock.

men receive actually much less than they Mr Francis moved for a new writ of are entitled to in the first instance, and are compensated for the difference by the handsome profit they make on the article itself. It does not always conduce to the convenience or even the safety of the steamer they travel in however, for each man to bring two or three picula of salt with him by way of luggage, and instances have been known in which the trim of vessel has been greatly interfered with in

> (Mercury.) A ludicross incident happened to a late arrival of Pickwickian proclinities

onsequence.

last night 24th through a dimly lighted made its appearance in the Sugar plantastreet, which might have resulted in a tions, and put the labourers there to most unplement contretemps in return for flight. The overseer, Mr D. B. having his display of benevolence. Observing a proceeded thither sent for a weapon, and Chinese woman who was approaching him | though a pike or apear only was brought drop a handkerchief he accosted her in the to him, he pursued the animal with that most approved pidgin, pointing out her loss, The tiger suddenly turned and sprang The ungrateful one instead of attending to upon him. In the ensuing atruggle, the ing a police constable in the execution of his remarks, fled instead; Pickwick picked intropid overseer had the good fortune up the property, being observed by a to kill his antagonist, though at the From the evidence of P.C. No. 139, U jungokaha man who evidently had an eye to cost of a mauled arm. The wounds are the jinricky keeping company to see the Maanen-From the commission of into the woman to stop, the greater steam invented by Mr. Van Maanen, we have the put on, se prenait le con entre les jambes. roceived information that, according to tentions towards the fleeing Daphne and Holland on trial at their request had yielded restore her the lost property, and at the the following results .- Ooffee dried in the same time establish his respectability before sun in the usual manner in drying recepa fast increasing crowd, put on a vigorous | tacles has brought 454 cents per & kilo, but spurt and closed with the poor woman, who the three samples dried artificially in was on the verge of hysterica; however the different ways, were sold at the rate of observed her property and eagerly matched | 441 cents. The commission desire us to it from the hind of her breathed pursuer, state that, in their opinion, proof is therewho was happily followed by the jinricksha- by furnished that he artificial drying, man or he would have found himself in a the coffee had suffered neither in colour most emberratalny dilemma if Jehu was not nor in taste, for, had either been the there to explain. Mississee looked shame lease, the difference in price would have isces; though grateful, and the demeanour been more considerable. The difference of the growd was changed from accoming of one cent only is not worth notice, and hostility to intense morriment on the may be caused by other circumstances sciences and a hearty laugh was the arising. They therefore down they may leward of Piorwick for his Quizotic adven- confidently recommend the drying method ture. He went home to dinner moralizing of Mr Van Manners to all coffee platters. to the effect that the ordinary Chinese - Samarere Vaderland, 1st Uct lemale will not always give the Funquet !! Mucasur Sept. 77 -Mr. E. Croon a gradit for the best intentions, and that he photographer who laidy returned hitherto pursuit of Constant is not altogether from Borneo, ing beard there from trust. Glenfallock.

quite speechless, and when the physicians rant :- On the evening of the 5th instant, were called in they seem to have looked at Bunging in the province of West Bulu upon his illness as incurable. Li Chien- Bulu (Celebes), a strange man, without tang, who is a native of Canton, has filled known reason, ran an amok near and in the many offices with credit. Among others I house of another native named Totla Daeng believe he has been Customs Tuo-tai at Pololo. On this occasion, the amok runner Tientsin, Provincial Judge of Chihli Secre- ailled the above named Daeng Pololo, two tary in the Tsung-li Yamen, Tao-tai at boys, three women, and two girls, and mortal-Taiwan, and Governor of Fu-kien.-N. C. | ly wounded another woman and girl. The D. News Cor.

NANKING.

Pông Yü-lin still manifesta reluctance to ssume the temporary charge of the Liang Kiang, and Liu K'un vi continues to fulfil his ordinary functions. He has lately gone to Yangchow, where a grand reception was accorded him by the civil and military magnates. He then went to inspect the repairs which are in course of progress on the river at Ta'ing kiang-p'u, in the prefecture of Huai-an, and is shortly expected back again at Yangchow, where he will hold a series of military reviews. It is said that the Viceroy has another and more important object in view in visiting Ta'ing-kiang-p'u than the one put forward; but of this nobody appears to know anything at all. On this occasion it is said that in order to save trouble to the garrisons at a distance, the yearly custom of reviewing all the soldiery together at Yangchow will not be enforced; but the Viceroy will review each garrison at its own station, in consideration of the river-works on which the soldiers are engaged. This is regarded as very considerate on the part of His Excellency. - N. C. D. News Cor.

(News.) The great sports: Prince de Lisle and Baron Mochin, left on Sunday : they were well equipped, and had a large retinue of servants, carriages, ponies, etc. If not prevented by snowstorms they should reach the Sungari, which it will be necessary to cross on the way to Vladivostock, about 15th Noby taking advantage of a strong and fair | vember. Besides the visit of those gentlemen, we have been favoured by the presence of the Fly again, who, we hear, is to be sent to Shanghai, H. M. S. Swift taking her place | Sovereigns, ... for the last round which a British man-of war will making this season. The community is soon to have Mr. Herbert Allen Hongkong Bank, 112 % prem., sales again as Consul, W. S. Ayrton being transferred to Wuhu. It is a great satisfaction | China Traders' Ins. Co., \$1,600 p. sh. ex div. for us to have had Mr. Ayrton in our midst | North China Ins. Co., Tls. 1,125 per share. as Consul even for so short a time, as although he is comparatively a youngster in | Chinese Ins. Co., \$307 per share. the service it may be said without fear of H.K. Fire Ins. Co., \$030 per share. contradiction that Mr. Ayrton by his tact | China Fire Ins. Co., \$275 per share. and general abilities has proved himself a H.K. & W. Dock, 30 % prem. sales & buyers. very worthly successor to Clement Allen, H. C. M. S.-boat Co., \$24 prem. seller. Natives predict, some that we are to have an | S'hai Steam Nav., Tla 3 per al nominal. early winter; others, on the ground that the | China Coast St. Nav. Co., Ils. 160 p. share. present year is blessed with two seventh Hongkong Gas Co., \$82 per share.

moons, prognosticate a later winter than | Hongkong Hotel Co., \$104 per she sales: prudent for steamers and sailing vessels to Do. Debentures, 3 % prem. remain much beyond 22nd November. At | Chinese Imperial Loan of 1874. nominal. present the weather is very fine, thermometer shewing a few degrees only over freezing | H.K. Ice Co.'s shares, \$127- per share. mark ; but we know from experience that | Hongkong Bakery, \$50 per share. at any moment there may be strong northerly winds and then the thermometer will drop perhaps twenty degrees Fahrt. Our mails reach us very irregularly; in fact we are not nearly so sure of news as during the winter. when, thanks to the well organized system adopted by the Imperial Maritime Customs. we get our letters every week with clockwork precision. The Fort or Camp which referred to a short while ago is fast being completed, and when occupied will bring us into very near contact with a large number of native soldiers. They are kept under good control by General Tsung, who from what we learn makes exceedingly short work of such offenders as are occasionally interfering with the country-people. The port is pretty full of sailing-ships awaiting the arrival of new peas from the interior, and i s said that several steamers have been chartered also, at rather low rates compared to to those ruling in the spring and summer Altogether, the Swatow Guild dispute not-

Singapore.

withstanding, we may hope that the export

of grain and cake will not fall short of an

ordinarily good year.

(Times.) An amok occurred this morning (24th) on board a Bugis prahu lying at anchor off Campong Glam, in which three men were dangerously wounded, who are now lying in a precarious state in the hospital. So for as can be gathered, a dispute arose down below between the jeragan or master, and the jermudi, or steersman, in which the latter received a wound in the breast and leftarm, whereupon, becoming maddened. he drew his knife and rushed upon two other men, one of whom he cut in the abdomen and the other across the high. A ory of "amok" was raised, and two men who were on deck aprang overboard as the infuriated man rushed towards them, and saved themselves by awimning ashore. There were seven on board, all told the other two managing to elude him. He was arrested by Inspector de Fontaine, with the knife still in his hand, disarmed, and sen

JAVA NEWS.

wounded men.

Baleria, Oct. 4.—Recently, at Kleas he was returning from his office at 7 p.m. dang, in the Pekalongan residency, a tiger

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amok runner was killed by three natives with eight wounds. The cause of this amok is wholly unknown to us. Several persons have seen the murderer, but he has been recognised by none."-Courant.

CIDER and Pickles-Our namesake of Portland tells of an old farmer who, having caten an ovster stew for the first time said -" I like the soup pretty well, but I don't like them polly-wogs." This recalls the story of the Hoosier who lunched with General Jackson, and smong other things, had champagne and olives, "General," he said, slapping the old hero on the back, 'I like your cider, but your pickles.' -Boston Transcript.

Quotations. Hongkong, November 3. OPIUM—New Patna, cash....\$620 New Benares, cash, ... 617 New Malwa, oredit, ... 670 Allowance, Taels 32 Old Malwa, credit,... 710 Allowance, Taels 16 Exchange. 30 days' sight, ...

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Union Ins. Soc. of C'ton, \$1,675 p. share. Yangtazo Ins. Assoc., Tls. 830 per share. last. Anyhow, we don't think it will be China Sugar Ref. Co., \$160 p. share sales.

Temperature. (Taken at Mesers Falconer & Co.'s Premises Queen's Road.) Hongkong, November 3.

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The following lists are corrected from the latest London and Colonial Papers, and from other sources. Consignees are invited to communicate with the Editor in the event of any inaccuracy occurring in this list as compiled from the papers and other information at his command. The Editor will, at all times, be glad to receive any additions to the list from those who have later advices, private or otherwise, than his

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THE CHINA REVIEW.

FIGHE widely-expressed regret at the discontinuance of Notes & Queries on Ohina and Japan, has induced the publishers of this journal to issue a publication similar in object and style, but slightly modified in certain details.

THE CHINA REVIEW, or Notes and Queries on the Far East, is issued at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octavo pages, occasionally illustrated with lithographs, photographs, woodcuts, &c., should the papers published demand, and the circulation justify, such

The subscription is fixed at \$6.50 postage prid, per annum, payable by non-residents in Hongkong half-yearly in advance. The publication includes papers original and selected upon the Arts and Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Manners and Custems, Natural History, Religion, &c., &c., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, the Eastern Archipelego and the "Far East" generally. A more detailed list of subjects upon which contributions are especially invited is incorporated with each number. Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, French, German, Spanish, Italian or Por-

number of the contents of the most recent works bearing on Chinese matters. Great attention is also paid to the Review department. Notes and Replies are classified together as "Notes" (head references being given; when furnished, to previous Notes or Queries), as are also those queries which though asking for information, furnish new or unpublished details concerning the matter in hand. It is desirable to make the

Queries proper as brief and as much to

are made to present a resume in each

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the point as possible. The China Review for July and August, 1875, is at hand. It says that forty-two cassys were sent in to compute for the best paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our learned societies should subscribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review. It is a sixty paged, bi-monthly, repertory of what scholars are ascertaining about Chins. The lecture on Chinese Poetry in this volume is plone worth the price of the lieview. Address China Review, Hongkong.-Northern

(hristian Advocate (U.S.) Trubner's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the China Review :- "This is the title of a publication, the first number of which has lately reached us from Bongkong, where it has been set on foot as in some respects a continuation of Notes and Queries on China and Japan, the extinction of which useful serial a year or two ago has icen much regretted in Europe as well as in China. The present publication, judging by the number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the reighbouring countries, somewhat similar to that which has been filled in India by the Calcutta Review. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of informstion, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable; and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked for from the members of the foreign consular services, the Uhinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body. among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authors. In a paper on Dr. Legge's She King, by the Three hours, ... 50 cts. Six hours, ... 70 cts. Rev. E. J. Eitel, to which the place of honour is deservedly given, an excellent summary is presented of the chronological problems and arguments involved in connexion with this important work. Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness of style : and an account of the career of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh century, SuTung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by italiterary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice that "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to find a place in its pageralso. It is to be holed that this opening for contributions

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tures of the mails. 4.—No Order must exceed £10, or \$50 or include any fraction of a penny, nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same persons, in favour of the same payes, by the same mail. Orders will be drawn at the current rate of the day+ and paid at the rate of the day when the advice arrived.

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